

## Substitute Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney for Patent Application

Docket Number:	16516.105

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter that is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled NUCLEIC ACID SEQUENCES TO PROTEINS INVOLVED IN TOCOPHEROL SYNTHESIS, the specification of which is attached hereto unless the following box is checked:

was filed on April 14, 2000
as United States Application Number 09/549,848 and
was amended on May 31, 2001, July 16, 2001, April 3, 2002, August 19, 2002, and October 8
2002 (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information that is material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or § 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or § 365(a) of any PCT international application, which designated at least one country other than the United States listed below, and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate, or PCT international application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

Prior Foreign Applica	ation(s)		Priority	Claimed
(Application No.)	(Country)	(Day/Month/Year Filed)	Yes	□ No
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I hereby claim the ber	nefit under 35 U.S.C. § 119(e)	of any United States provisional applica	tion(s) listed be	low.
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60/146,461 (Application No.)	July 30, 1999 (Filing Date)			

I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 120 of any United States application(s), or under § 365(c) of any PCT international application designating the United States, listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the

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